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Helps END A COLD Quicker



The 3-Minute VapoRub Massage

Massage VapoRub briskly on the throat, chest and back (between and below the shoulder blades). Then spread it thick over the chest and cover with warm cloth.

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Better Clinic of Canada
The worst of the cold is over.

Community Hospitalization

During the past three or four years public demand for some form of State hospitalization and medical care or insurance against the great burden of the cost of sickness to the individual has accelerated materially in the three prairie provinces and it has not been an exception that only a small number of municipalities have been able to provide hospital care, at least on a province wide scale and perhaps eventually throughout the Dominion.

Many scattered communities have already adopted the principle on a limited basis by the appointment of a part or whole time municipal doctor and by making agreements with hospitals, providing for the medical and hospital care of all, and in some cases, with the provision of a hospital in the community. In some instances outstanding success can be attributed to these limited ventures, but in other cases it is felt that financial ability has restricted the scope of the work in channels too confined, but even in these cases the information as to actual results has been created resulting in a growing demand for adoption of a plan which will cover the entire range of care for sickness and one which will spread the costs over a greater number of people.

As a result of this accumulating public demand, the question of some form of group health insurance has of late been occupying the attention of the governments of the three prairie provinces and some progress towards the consummation of plans has been made in varying degree. A good deal of spade work has been done, both by governments and other organizations.

One of the chief difficulties confronting the prairie provinces in launching any large scale plan of community health insurance, however, is the absence of any data on which to base the probable cost. It is true estimates have been given by public men and others interested in furthering such a project, of the probable cost of such a scheme, but these estimates are of health insurance scheme, but at best they are only estimates and experience in other fields has demonstrated that often enough estimates are wide of the mark when realization is achieved.

It is true that data is available from other countries where health insurance schemes have been in operation for some time, but these are effective mostly in industrial communities where conditions are entirely different from those prevailing in sparsely settled agricultural areas like the prairie of the Canadian west and for this reason the figures available elsewhere cannot be relied upon when applied to these areas.

In this connection it is interesting to note that an organization recently set up in Saskatchewan, the Saskatchewan State Hospital and Medical League, with an objective of promoting and establishing a scheme for that province, is going about its work in a business-like manner by securing at first hand a great deal of specific information as to actual costs of a large number of farmers for medical and hospital attention for their families over a five-year period.

This information is being processed by a questionnaire which has been sent out by the League, in co-operation with the Wheat Pool, to the 10,000 Pool members in Saskatchewan and when replies are received it will be possible, by striking an average, to show the actual per capita cost for doctors, hospitalization, nursing services and medicine and medical supplies for a very substantial percentage of the rural population of the province.

While this will not demonstrate the probable per capita cost of a scheme of health insurance on community basis, it will provide a great deal of valuable data and give at least a foundation on which to erect a structure and eliminate the necessity of relying on guess-work from the ground up.

Needless to say it will take some considerable time before all the information available from a questionnaire asking for information on a dozen items is received and compiled, and even then the work of the League will be well started, but the data will not only be of considerable interest but it will be of great value to the province and the other provinces of Saskatchewan but also for the neighboring provinces where conditions are somewhat similar.

Keeps War Trophy

Bulit Extracted From Body Of War

Veteran Aired 18 Years

An article in the *Chronicle* with him constantly for 18 years, James Varley, Christie Street hospital patient, recently saw for the first time a bullet "presented" to him during the war. At the hospital, Dr. G. M. Dale and Dr. D. E. Robertson removed a German bullet from Varley's lower spine. Now, according to Dr. Dale, Varley plans to hide the bullet and keep it as a trophy.

The Oldest Ocean

According to some investigators, the Atlantic is the youngest, and the Pacific is the oldest of the world's oceans. Nevertheless, other investigators believe the Atlantic to be the oldest of all the oceans, with the exception of the West Indian region, and that the Pacific is still in the making.

First pump puddings consisted of liquid concoctions, served in soup tureens.

Temperature In Airplanes

Heat Absorbed While On Ground

Reduced By Dry Snow

An article in the *Chronicle* is being created within the passenger compartments of certain transport planes to overcome the heat absorbed by a bullet "presented" to him during the war. At the hospital, Dr. G. M. Dale and Dr. D. E. Robertson removed a German bullet from Varley's lower spine. Now, according to Dr. Dale, Varley plans to hide the bullet and keep it as a trophy.

It is said that 54 per cent. of the road troubles of motorists is caused by tire and ignition trouble.

It is said that the left hand freezes more rapidly than the right hand.

Money may not talk, but it cheers a man up wonderfully.

Reorganize Militia

Canada's Non-Permanent Active Militia To Be Placed On New Basis

Reorganization of Canada's non-permanent active militia has been completed, and as it emerges from the crucible the new form of the Dominion's citizen soldiers is greatly dwarfed in respect of units but sturdily consistent so far as personnel is concerned.

Hon. Ian Mackenzie, minister of national defence, has released the new plan for the reorganization of the non-permanent active forces. These contemplate restriction of units, but are compensated by compactness in efficiency. They elevate the militia from the prospective to the actual.

In brief, the militia is cut down with respect to paper units. Regiments which previously existed in the militia list on paper only have disappeared. Those which persevered strongly in peace times remain, some of them amalgamated with others. It is true that still with enough preserved in their new name to identify them with their former lineage.

So far as units are concerned, the Mackenzie System is drastic, and has been in process of organization since 1936.

The 135 infantry regiments are whittled to 91. These are made up of 20 battalions, 20 companies, 20 battalions and six tank battalions. Artillery is increased by 52 new units. Field artillery battalions are reduced from number 110, an increase of 41; medium batteries are increased from 25 to 31. The heavy battery remains as at present, 12, while the coast brigades are unaltered at two. However, anti-aircraft batteries are increased from 25 to 25, two sections, to six, plus two sections, an increase of five.

The following steps leading up to the reorganization and an analysis of the changes effected were detailed. Immediately after the war, establishment of the Canadian militia was set at 11 divisions and four cavalry divisions.

In 1921, on international disarmament conference was summoned to meet at Geneva on Feb. 8, 1932. Canada, faced with the necessity of filing data at this conference, notified the secretariat that in future her land forces would be limited to six divisions, one cavalry division and certain fortress and ancillary troops.

Although this decision was made by the government, it was not taken to get it into effect were caused up to the time when the present minister took office on October 1, 1936.

On Dec. 4, 1937, a report was laid before the minister, containing a list of 100 inactive units, and the minister thereupon gave instructions to proceed.

The reorganization is now complete. Forty-five inactive units have been disbanded. Thirty-six cavalry regiments have been reduced to 16 cavalry regiments, and four armoured car regiments.

A total of 135 infantry and machine gun battalions have been reduced to 20 rifle battalions, 20 machine gun battalions, and six tank battalions.

By conversion of cavalry and infantry units and by formation of new units, the Royal Canadian Artillery is increased by 52 units, to 108 batteries, six medium batteries, and five anti-aircraft batteries.

Won Wide Acclaim

But Italian Workers Found Mussolini's Plan Not So Good

Mussolini won wide acclaim among Italian workers when, on August 1, an agreement made under his supervision, was announced providing a 40 per cent wage increase for 80,000 mechanical employees and metal-lurgical establishments.

Two months later, Mussolini reduced the value of the Italian currency 41 per cent, making the workers' lira worth barely half of what it had been before the world war. The market, though a price-fixing edict is supposed to protect its purchasing power, has been reduced.

Mussolini has increased the production to 60 hours to speed up production of war materials by 1,200 units.

Thus is illustrated the benefits to the worker of the benevolent Fascist dictatorship. Back score: One put on the back; two cracks on the nose.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Method May Be Changed

Canadian Banks May In Future Have Fewer Branches

Two developments of the proposition seem likely to influence permanently the method of bank operation in Canada. One is the gradual withdrawal of the note issue privilege, which in former times helped to finance the opening of "marginal" branches. The other is the growth of provincial taxation aimed specifically at the branch offices of the banks.

"The pressure of these forces," writes J. V. Walters, "as bound to compel banks to seek avenues of relief and the most convenient avenues seem to be those of mechanization and of a trend to larger offices as a permanent feature of policy rather than a temporary expedient. There is a link between these developments, namely as mechanization can be most successfully applied to the larger offices. In addition, if this trend should come about, it would affect not only the size but also the feasibility of operating expenses. The reason is that the operation of machines in banks tends to become the prerogative of the female section of the staff, a section in which the annual salary turnover is much higher than in the male section. Thus, cessation of recruitment at the onset of depression is already the policy of banks, the total staff of a bank would adjust itself more rapidly to conditions."—Canadian Banker.

Extra Pay For Christmas

Extra Wage Compensation Is Announced For Employees Of General Foods

A week before Christmas all employees of General Foods, who have been with the company prior to January 1, 1938, received an extra wage compensation of two weeks' pay, according to an announcement made by J. Mcintosh, Managing Director of General Foods Limited, Toronto.

The distribution was made on December 17, 1936. An extra compensation of one week's pay was given to employees between January 1, 1936 and November 17, 1936. These extra wage compensations in all General Foods employees in Canada and the United States. The employees receiving it participate in the manufacture and sale of such widely known products as Kellogg's Corn Flakes, House of Cocoa, Grape-Nuts, Post Toasties, and many others. The extra pay compensation is in addition to the vacation pay which was extended this year to all factory employees of the company.

SELECTED RECIPES

PLAIN LAYER CAKE

1 cup butter
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
1 1/2 cups flour
2 teaspoons Magic Baking Powder
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon vanilla

Cream butter until as light as whipped cream, add sugar, gradually until the time. Add the whole eggs one at a time, beating well between the addition of each egg. Beat together flour, baking powder and salt, and fold in one-third of the butter mixture, one-third of the milk, and continue until all flour and milk are used up. Add remaining half of butter and flour. Bake in oven at 350 degrees F. until done.

When cool put between layers and cover cake with the following:

Pineapple Frosting
2 tablespoons pineapple juice
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1/2 cup sugar
2 cups or more confectioner's sugar

Put pineapple juice in saucepan, when at boiling point remove from fire—add butter and lemon juice—when butter is melted pour slowly in the sugar—beating hard until of a nice consistency to spread.

Lost From Wrecked Plane

Letter Washed Up On England's Shores Returned To Sender

Lost in the wreck of a British transport plane and washed up on the shores of England after an undetermined lapse of time, a letter from a British soldier in England, destined for Australia, has been returned to the sender in Guelph, the letter was found by Mr. T. Storey, a member of the British Air Force, and apparently came from the wreck of the *Boadicea*, which left Croydon for Paris and was never seen again.

A note from the British Air Force authorities, which accompanied the returned letter, indicated it was included in a packet washed up on the wreck of the British transport plane.

This advertisement is written and inserted without charge in recognition of the great Canadian thought which immediately offers the wild foot have been in their migratory habits.

That every young man read Jack Miner's own writings and see by photograph the birds that he has seen and heard him talk (you can't call it a lecture) more material at \$1.25, instead of the previous \$1.00. It's just out!

"UNCLE" JACK MINER

Writes a Book, Entitled

"JACK MINER AND THE BIRDS"

Give It For a New Year's Gift!



Every Boy Scout, every school boy and every school girl in Canada now knows of Jack Miner and many, many thousands of adults who have seen him and heard him talk (you can't call it a lecture) about his work for the preservation of wild life. He is called by the authorities "one of the world's great naturalists." He is gentle and kind, and he is a good friend to all who love the birds.

Yes—they're wild Swans—but they all love Jack

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Practically without money he started his idea of a place where wild birds would be protected during migration from North and South—the birds found out about it before the public did, and finally all had to be given to buy corn to feed the geese, ducks, swans in their thousands upon thousands who settled in his ponds and rested unmolested.

Perhaps you can't travel half way across Canada to see this sight but let us tell you it's a thing of a lifetime. To you and those like you it is possible to read Jack's own words in his 207 page book, and through the 68 pictures get a good idea of the work that is going on.

Jack is not a money maker—he's a poor man, financially—if people had not contributed when they saw what a wonderful thing it was, he could not have continued. He charges no admission fees—sells no souvenirs and his only half and fast rules for visitors are "no bad language to be used" and "everybody shut their mouths on Sundays."

Jack is 71 (born April 10, 1865) and only occasionally gets away for a long talk or lecture now—he's hale and hearty but very busy around home.

Auto line up for miles every spring and fall. The fence you see was built by an admirer of Jack

People come from all over the world to see the Jack Miner Sanctuary—this work has encouraged others to do the same thing elsewhere, so making Jack very busy.

Every home should have this book because besides birds it discusses a number of phases of life which are of interest to all. It is a happy. It impresses children and adults alike with its genuineness and ruggedness.

Now if you want this new book, "Jack Miner and the Birds"—207 pages—68 photographs—just go to your stationery store and order it or if you can't get it there write to the Cogg Clark Co., Ltd., 465 Wellington Street, W. Toronto—the Canadian agents—and they'll see that you do get it.

Medical Service In North

Native Inhabitants Not Neglected

By Canadian Government

Medical care for the native inhabitants of Canada's Far North is provided by the Canadian Government, and for thousands of miles along the Arctic coast of the Dominion, in the service of the Government.

Dr. Fred R. Griffin Jr., head of the Physiology Department, and Miss Julia R. Lockwood, an instructor, who are conducting the test, said it was based on "the amount of oxygen used. This shows the amount of energy in various parts of the body."

The four students are living at the Medical School on diets which give them a minimum number of calories every day, summer and winter. Every morning samples of their expired air are collected in a gasometer and tested for oxygen and carbon dioxide.

Puzzle To Naturalists

Two postings have been hatched in the Wildlife Museum of the Canadian Government as the result of the mating of a blue goose with a Canada gander. The event is puzzling naturalists. Blue geese usually mate only with their own kind and should anything happen to one of the pair the other goes through life alone.

The first directory of London had a boy's origin, being started by Charles I., who wanted a list of citizens who would loan him money.

Sales abroad of German musical instruments are at record levels.

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YOU get more Life Insurance, and you pay less for it, because of interest.

The hard-earned savings that you set aside each year for the financial protection of yourself and your family are invested for you by your Life Insurance company in government and municipal bonds, first mortgages, public utility bonds, industrial and other interest-bearing securities.

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The part played by interest is, therefore, an essential part of your Life Insurance contract. Your policy is larger, your premium is smaller, because of the additional money that interest earnings add to your savings, and this is true of the \$3,500,000 other Canadian Life Insurance policyholders.

Life Insurance



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FREEES AVAILABLE

FOR FARMERS—Last October regarding certain types of trees available to farmers for transplanting, it was learned in an interview given recently by Hon. C. C. Ross, Minister of Lands and Mines.



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CANADIAN PACIFIC

that a large number of Loigolpe Pine, and to a lesser extent Scotch Pine, are still procurable from the Forestry Division of the Department. As a result, applications for these two species for transplanting next spring will continue to be received up to January 31st, 1937.

The stock referred to is stated to be large and healthy. It is available only for additions and replacements in windbreaks and natural birch.

Application forms are obtainable from the Director of Forestry, Department of Lands and Mines, Edmonton.

IF JESUS HAD NOT COME

(By Major H.C. Tuttle)

If Jesus had not come to earth
That glorious Christmas Day
No baby in the hay;
If there had been no Saviour born;
No shepherds kneeling there,
This would have been a cheerless
morn
And life a blank despair.

If Jesus had not come to dwell
In lowliest estate;
The poor would doubt us when we tell
Of love supremely great;
No Christmas spirit would have made
Men generous and kind,
Their joy to render friendly aid
Whenever need they find.

Had who men never shown their love
With myrrh, incense and gold,
And angel legions from above
No song of peace had told;
No gifts would join our hearts as one,
And tell of Christmas love;
Nor carol sung in unison
With that great choir above.

If Jesus had not come to earth
What would we do with sin;
No glorious hope of second birth;
No perfect peace within;
No hope of breaking with the past,
Or joy of sins forgiven;
No victory o'er the grave at last;
No entry into heaven.

But Jesus came in very truth;

CARBON CHRONICLE OFFERS BIG "BARGAIN IN READING"

Attention is particularly drawn to the splendid subscription offer which appears in this issue. It is added that such an offer can be made but through the co-operation of the publishers of the different magazines with The Carbon Chronicle, it is now placed before you. In order to take advantage of the chabbing rate it is necessary that your subscription to The Carbon Chronicle be brought up to date and then \$3.00 will be credited on advance subscription to this paper and a full year on the magazine chosen. Regarding the magazines they can be sent to any address in Canada, or if you are already a subscriber to one of the magazines you can have the money credited as a renewal.

In the past quite a number of our readers have taken advantage of this "Bargain in Reading" and if they desire to continue on the same basis it is requested they set at once as we cannot guarantee the length of time the offer can be kept open.

Here and There

Opening three weeks earlier this year with a 14-day run and on December 2, the 25th season in Quebec province was off to a flying start with special Christmas Pacific trials as well as regular editions with enthusiasm on the first week-end thereafter from Montreal to the Laurentians.

The Empress of Britain will start the winter cruise season from New York December 20 on a six-day voyage to the Azores, the Indies and Cuba. It will carry its own night club of Broadway entertainers and a small orchestra band. The Empress of Australia, between January 7 and January 25 will make six cruises of eight, nine, ten, 16 and 18 day duration to the West Indies, all from New York.

Gift of a visit home for Christmas and New Year has been the unusual present suggested for the year end by G. E. Carter, general passenger agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, Montreal, as he explained the company's pre-arranged ticket plan for sending transportation to out-of-town relatives and friends. Arrangement of details of such visits is extremely simple, Mr. Carter said, and tickets cost no more despite use of telegraph in case of emergency and the guarantee that the tickets will reach the right person. This service is not confined to Christmas and New Year but is particularly popular at this season.

Canadian and world abiding enthusiasts will have an opportunity to test the Rocky Mountain chain of hotels and facilities close to may with the Dominion Automobile Club of Canada. The Amateur 2400 Association are held from March 6 to 8 on the slopes of 8,215-foot Mount Norquay, four miles from the Canadian Pacific Railway station at Banff.

According to announcement by Canadian Pacific Communications Department, Christmas and New Year's greetings of pre-arranged message texts will be available to the public this year. Within Eastern or Western Canada they will be accepted at the low rate of 25 cents, between eastern and western Canada and from points in eastern and western Canada to points in the U.S.A. they will be accepted at 40 cents. Rates are subject to government tax.

A gift to the Province of Ontario from the Kerry Hill flock book society, in North Wales, ten ewes and one ram, of the world famous Kerry Hill sheep are now at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. The gift was arranged through W. Barrett Davies, President and leader of the Kingston "Whispering" and the sheep, known in Wales as "speckled redpolls", are expected to prove extremely popular with stock breeders across Canada. Experts consider the Kerry Hill sheep an outstanding breed, noted for their adaptability to any environment, and for their general utility.

Canadian Pacific steam-tram, all-conditions trains which have been a feature of railway development in the West, have had a big reaction on Christmas presents and are now being shown in many of the big department stores in the form of models. These miniature trains are having great success with the kiddies who are given rides in them in the stores and then have the opportunity of putting a toy train for Christmas, built on the same lines as the miniature.

The Hope of all the earth,
The Hope of age, the Hope of youth,
Is in the Saviour's birth.
Incarnate Son of Power Divine,
Of humble virgin born,
Here cradled in this heart of mine
Makes Holy Christmas Morn.



Think what this wonderful offer will mean in enjoyment throughout the whole year for yourself and your family. Magazines of your own choice and this newspaper, packed with stories, timely articles, helpful departments and colorful illustrations. Now is your chance.

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<input type="checkbox"/> Silver Screen 1 yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Screenland - 1 yr.
<input type="checkbox"/> American Boy - 1 yr.	<input type="checkbox"/> House & Garden - 6 mo.
<input type="checkbox"/> Parents' Magazine - 6 mo.	
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In fairness to yourself look over all the advertisements. The smallest and the largest—you never can be sure which one will tell something you really want to know.

"My nerves are better"

writes Mrs. P. M. Peterson,
R. No. 2, Strome, Alberta.

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58 out of 100 Women
Report Benefit

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S
VEGETABLE COMPOUND

Thou Shalt Not Love

— A NOVEL BY —

GEORGIA CRAIG

CHAPTER XII.—Continued

There were a number of developments the next day. The majority of them quite to be expected.

While Supphira served her breakfast in bed, considerably surprised and pleased that her charge showed no indications of suffering from her hang-over, though these undoubtedly were something troubling her mind. Starr read the morning papers. There were lurid accounts of last night's party in the tabloids. "Play-Girl" was without any question in the headlines again.

An account, in one of the more gossip sheets read:

"Merrymakers at the exclusive Sea Beach Casino last night were treated to an unexpected thrill when Starr Ellison, author of the widely notorious book, "Play-Girl" and who is said to have furnished herself a copy therefore, actually made a debut swimming party in the gold-fish fountain. Only the fact that she was, at the time, many witnesses characterized the intervention of Michael Fairbourne, publicity representative for the Tarrance Publishing Company, prevented."

Starr flung the paper away, ached. How Michael must hate her! There was small comfort now in the thought that that was what she had intended to make him think of her.

She could not eat. She felt as if she never wanted to again, but she was making an attempt to get away with her omelet, at the insistence of Supphira, when the telephone rang. Her heart leaped, then died, suddenly. "It. It wouldn't be Michael. It could not be."

It was. It was Marjorie Brown calling—Marjorie whose boast was that she was the closest friend "Play-Girl" had, who was nothing of the sort, since Starr had no women friends at all. Marjorie was so anxious to give Starr the news she had just heard, that she was phoning before she had her morning coffee.

"Starr!" Her voice rippled gaily. "You'd never believe it, but what do you suppose has happened? Michael Fairbourne and Stephanie Dale are engaged! Actually! I know, because he's had getting her parents to consent. Stephanie called me last night after the party to tell me it happened after Michael took her home. Isn't that just too thrilling? And won't they make the most gorgeous couple?"

Starr said, in a bored voice: "I hope they will be very happy. Engagements don't interest me, Marjorie—or marriages. So ordinary."

Starr popped around the Egyptian apartment, hating it more and more. Everything Egyptian came more and more, wondering just what her next step would be. With a love affair with Michael finished before it had fairly begun, did not mean necessarily that her job as "Play-Girl" was finished. On the contrary. What "Play-Girl" had done last night had made her better copy than ever. She ought to be valuable to Michael and his publishers. All the joy in playing was gone, though, and forever. From now on "playing" would be as drab as life itself, but if she threw herself into a still madder whirl she might be able to forget—some things. The irony of it! She had done this thing in order to forget how soon she must give up life. Now she was more than ever to forget. Life was certainly increasingly hard.

Shortly before noon a messenger from Cartier's appeared with two armed guards and a package from the famous jewelry firm. Starr gave the messenger her receipt and took the package into the bedroom to open it.

It was a bracelet. A bracelet three inches wide, solidly set with diamonds encasing a row of the most gorgeous fire opals Starr had ever

imagined in her life. The thing must have cost a fortune.

Supphira's eyes goggled almost out of her head when she saw it.

"My land, Miss Starr, isn't that shore scrumptious! Seems like somebody must be thinking a heap of you, child. What's them flashy kind of stones that look like rain-bow honey?"

Starr smiled wanly as she answered. "It's in good shape, Miss. Lower's card had come with the gift."

"They're opals, Supphira—fire opals."

The breath of the colored woman came suddenly.

"Opals! Leavy, Miss Starr, don't you-all know they say opals can bring the hardest kind of hard luck? What for he want to sent you opals?"

"They can't hurt me, Supphira," said Starr, her voice low.

She was studying Lance's card. On the back he had scribbled: "I told you these were for you, my lovely thing of fire and ice. I have been very patient, Starr. Are you going to keep me waiting forever?"

She could not pretend to believe that he did not know what he meant. It was plain enough. Lance was forcing her hand. She had stalled with him long enough. Lance was not used to that. She knew—as she called—she meant her to know, that to accept this gift of his meant to become his mistress. Refusing it would terminate their friendship. There could be no more halfway measures.

She held the gorgeous bracelet in her hand, turning it, letting the sun-shine catch in the sparkling of the stones. The diamonds were lovely, too, but those fire opals! Lance fire opals! Lance fire opals! Lance must have given a commission to Cartier's to search out the most marvelous stones anywhere in the world. A memory of Michael's words flitted through her mind:

"I'm sure, my dear, that your saying diamonds for his current light of love."

In any of it! This morning Starr's face might be proudly wearing Michael's diamond on the correct finger. But she, Starr, who had dreamed of marriage, who had loved to see Starr, the man she loved to Stephanie, received a diamond bracelet—symbol of the kept woman!

She was still weighing the situation in her mind when Michael arrived. Starr had not expected to see him, and it is possible if Supphira had not ushered him into the living room without announcing him, she would not have known he might not be as welcome as always. Starr might have refused to see him. She needed more time to pull herself together before facing him.

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Starr's face was as pale as the tender flesh—as pale as the heart in her breast.

Starr had no friends in her life's grating. Memories of last night's scandal hung over them frigidly. Michael had come with a definite plan. His first words staggered her.

"His face still wore that tight, intolerant look."

"I've come to release you from your bargain, Starr! It was a mistake from the beginning. No doubt you will be as glad to be relieved of it as I am. This last episode—"

he flouted before her eyes the tabloid in which was the account of last night's party which she had already read, pounding on the objectionable story with an angry finger—"was the finish! It was too much—even for super publicity's sake!"

In the face of her dazed silence Starr said: "I told Stephanie that the whole thing was a hoax, told her why I finished before it had fairly begun. I hope other people will, too. Anyway, I am ready to shoulder the ridicule."

"But you and Stephanie think that it is the best that we could do."

"That you buy me out?" Starr prompted him cruelly. Michael's face went red, but on her was the same tantalizing dare-devilry of "Play-Girl," taunting, disdainful.

There was a spark of resentment flared within her. If he only had not mentioned Stephanie! She blazed out at him.

"Because everything hasn't gone all your own way, you want to get rid of me! I see!" Her taunting, challenging laugh rippled. "Well, suppose I don't choose to be got rid of?"

Michael glowered, said ruthlessly: "I shouldn't think that even you would want to continue in a role that is repugnant to every sense of common decency."

The slurring way he said "even you!" It made her flinch, but he said it so calmly that she knew that he had thought he would, more than

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Become Soldiers At Fourteen

Boys in Italy Start Training When They Are Only Six

Tough at 20 some 50,000 Fascist youth, trained in the technique of war, are now passing annually into the regular Italian army.

Many of them have been registered in Fascist Youth organizations for years and the majority have participated actively since their sixth birthday.

At that age they enter the ranks of the "Fascist Militia," from which they graduate when they are 14 with a fundamental military knowledge qualifying them to train as specialists in 11 Fascist legions.

The Italian 14-year-old soldiers are promoted with symbolic ritual into the next chronological grade, the Avanguardisti, or Advance Guards, of whom there are about 500,000.

The comparatively care-free training suddenly ceases for these youths, finding themselves part of a vast war machine. Their war education is intensified and they are moulded into the pattern of the Italian army.

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Says Sir Chas. Gordon

BANK OF MONTREAL, MONTREAL

Strong expressions of confidence in the outlook in Canada were the keynote of the proceedings at the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Bank of Montreal, held recently at the hotel of the city.

The meeting was also informed that the bank had a very strong position, and that deposits had been further protected by another substantial addition to the reserve account.

Mr. Charles Gordon, president in his address named as the five fundamental features outstanding in Canada's progress during the past year: the recovery in agriculture, the extraordinary activity in mining, the first time record in newspaper production, the recovery in the textile and wool trade, and the striking expansion in our export trade.

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Personalogographs

Mrs. Chas. H. Smith returned last
Wednesday from a week's visit at her
home in Edmonton.

Miss Grace Cameron spent a couple
of days in Calgary last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Willson were
Calgary visitors on Monday.

Wilfred Foxon, who is attending the
University of Alberta, is home for the
Christmas holidays and spent a few
days in Carbon this week.

Mrs. B. Harding of Lethbridge ar-
rived last Friday and will spend the
holiday season with her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. D. Halstead.

Mrs. C. Oliphant entertained her
C.G.I.T. group and Sunday School
class at her home on Monday evening
to a jolly Christmas party.

Mrs. E. Sellens of Carstairs is in
Carbon this week helping out in her
father's store during the Christmas
rush.

The Carbon school term ended on
Wednesday, December 23rd, and will
re-open for classes on January 4th.

Mrs. Jas. Smith was a Calgary vi-
sitor last Friday.

Miss Kay Roth left on Sunday to
spend Christmas with her parents in
Bursfield, Sask. During her absence
Miss Rose Schwartzberger of Aene
is relieving at the Carbon Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Edwards were Cal-
gary visitors the first of the week.

Last Thursday when Sam Garrett
parked his car in Calgary, thieves
rammed the vehicle and made off
with a new pair of skates belonging
to the Mayor, and an overcoat belong-
ing to Mr. R. Barber. Mr. Garrett re-
ported the theft and within a short
time the thief was taken into custody
and dealt with in Calgary law court
Saturday.

The Red Bus Lines have had storm
windows put on their buses and pas-
sengers say the improvement is very
much appreciated.

Harry Woods went to Calgary on
Monday night and is attending the
General Motors school in the city this
week.

Dust storms during the past week
have been numerous and a worry to
the risk managers. After each ap-
plication of dust by mother nature, a
flood of water has to be applied by
her native sons, Messrs. Rogers and
Evans, and from all reports the fam-
ily roof is still on. As a result of the
winds from the south west the snow
has practically all disappeared and
it looks as if we may have a "green
Christmas after all.

The annual Christmas entertain-
ment of the Gamble School District
was held in the school house on Mon-
day night of this week. A dance fol-
lowed the program.

Wm. Dorne, Leon Ohlhauser and

Art Biebrich, who are attending Teek
in Calgary, arrived home on Friday
for the Christmas holidays.

Joyce Laing arrived home from Cal-
gary Normal school on Friday and
will spend the Christmas vacation at
her home west of town.

John and Elizabeth Colvin of New-
castle were Carbon visitors on Sun-
day.

Claude Cressman installed a new
sign at the Carbon Auto Service this
week.

The editor of The Chronicle re-
ceived a box of holly this week, the
contents of Mr. E.G. Baynes, man-
ager of the Grosvenor Hotel in Van-
couver. The holly arrived in perfect
condition and was appreciated.

NEW HOCKEY RULES

The rules under which Amateur
Hockey is to be played in Canada
this coming year have been radically
changed. Part of the agreement be-
tween the Canadian Amateur Hockey
Association and the National Hockey
League provides for the adoption of
rules by the Amateur body that are
practically the same as those used by
the professionals.

Rule 4 says: Players may be changed
at any time provided always that
the player coming off the ice shall be
at the players' bench and out of play
before the substituting player enters
the game. All penalized players who
are to be changed after a penalty has
been served must skate to their own
players' bench before any change
shall be made.

It is simply means that players may
be changed while the game is in
progress and that intentional off-sides
need not be made in order to get a
change of players.

Rule 8 says: The puck may be passed
forward by any player to a player of
the same side in any one of the three
zones into which the ice is di-
vided, but may not be passed forward
from one zone to a player of the same
side in another zone. Nevertheless,
a puck passed forward from one zone
to another may be taken by a player
of the same team as the player mak-
ing the pass, providing that the play-
er is not making the pass while him-
self is in the same zone as the player
making the pass. If the puck is made
by a player from an attacking team
must not proceed the puck into the
attacking zone.

This means that players may pre-
cede the puck into the centre zone
and take the puck there when it is
passed out of the defending zone if
they are in the defending zone when the
pass was made.

Rule 10 says: Not more than three
players, including goalkeepers, of the
defending side may stand in their de-
fending zone before the attacking side
brings the puck into that zone. Should
a team violate this rule it shall incur
a minor penalty for each infraction,
the penalty to be imposed on the
fourth player entering the defending
zone. The referee must allow such a
play to be completed before penali-
zing the defending club and if a
goal is scored by the attacking club
under such conditions the goal shall
be allowed and a penalty shall not
be imposed.

Rule 11 says: No defending player, ex-
cept the goalkeeper, shall be per-
mitted to fall on the puck to prevent
it being reached by an opponent.

THE WORLD OF WHEAT

Scientific research is truly the life
blood of agriculture.

The human blood stream courses
through our bodies conveying to cells
in every part the precious elements
needed for life and growth. The same
blood stream, in its flow, also removes
worn out and harmful substances.
Scientific research likewise courses
through the agricultural body, con-
veying to farmers new products, new
ideas and methods; showing produc-
ers also how to remove those things
which are harmful and wasteful in
their farming operations.

Agricultural research affects three
groups of people—first the farmers
who benefit and for whom the work
done, second the Government which
allocates the money, and third the tax
payers who pay the bills. The cost
falls mainly upon the people of East-
ern Canada, for they pay the great-
est part of our Dominion taxes. (This,
however, might be considered as a
small offset to the advantage of East-
ern Canada enjoys over the West be-
cause of Dominion tariffs).

Western agriculture now badly
needs more and more of this valu-
able work, but to expand it our agri-
cultural institutions need more funds.
Western farmers could, therefore,
help themselves if they would in-
struct their Members of Parliament
to request the Governments to allo-
cate more money for the agricul-
tural research.

As agricultural research advances,
so unquestionably will the welfare of
farmers increase.

Following factors have tended to
raise prices:
Reports that Germany will pur-
chase 37 million bushels—Egyptian
cotton production far larger than last
year—Germany concludes agreement
with Danubian countries to exchange
German goods for pork and lard—
China permits free movement of
foodstuffs between its provinces—
Authorities consider some shortage
of feeding grains in Europe.

Following factors have tended to
lower prices:
Official estimates Argentina crop
approximately 250 million—Fornosa
crop largest on record permitting
24 million bushels for export—
Danubian countries expect to export
wheat more actively in New Year—
Expect many countries will increase
acreage—India steadily shipping
wheat, barley and gram (pea feed).

Goalkeepers must not use this method
of stopping the puck in areas outside
of 10 feet from the goal net. A pen-
alty shot is to be awarded for any in-
fringement of this rule.

Rule 15 says: When a player of the
defending side, including goal-
keeper, deliberately throws his stick
at the puck in his defensive zone, the
referee shall immediately award a
goal to the attacking side.

Throwing a stick in any other zone
shall incur a major penalty.

Rule 27 says: When a player is tripped
or otherwise fouled and thus pre-
vented from having a clear shot on
goal having no other player to pass
than the offending player, a penalty
shot shall be awarded to the non-
offending side.

Notwithstanding the award of the
penalty shot, the penalty, prescribed
elsewhere in the rules for the offense
leading up to the penalty shot, shall
also be imposed.

Rule 37 says: If a third player of
any team shall be penalized while
two players of the same team are
serving penalties, the penalty time
of the third player shall not commence
until the penalty time of one of the
two players already penalized shall
have elapsed. Nevertheless, the third
player penalized must at once proceed
to the penalty bench but may be re-
placed by a substitute until such time
as the penalty time of the penalized
player shall commence.



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